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PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME FOR TENNESSEE, 1985-90

The Department of Commerce recently released 1990 per capita personal income (PCPI) estimates. PCPI is produced by dividing the annual personal income of residents (for the year) by resident population as of July 1.

Total personal income growth between 1985 and 1990 in Tennessee's counties ranged from a high of 59.1 percent in Marshall County to a low of 19.2 percent in Polk County.

Ten Tennessee counties had a per capita personal income greater than the state average of $15,868. Nine of these are part of a metropolitan statistical area with four (Davidson, Sumner, Williamson, and Wilson counties) located in the Nashville MSA. Only Davidson and Williamson counties had a per capita personal income greater than that of the nation ($18,696). Williamson County had the highest per capita personal income for all 95 counties at $24,084, followed by Davidson County at $19,505.

Pickett County had the lowest county per capita personal income at $8,645, which was only 54.5 percent of the state figure. Hancock County ranked 94th at $8,996 which was 56.7 percent of the state figure.

Eight counties that ranked among the 10 highest in total per capita personal income in 1985 also ranked in the top ten in 1990.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME FOR METROPOLITAN AREAS, 1985-90

From 1985 to 1990, total per capita personal income growth in the seven metropolitan areas ranged from a high of 43.6 percent in Jackson, TN to 29.1 percent in Clarksville-Hopkinsville, TN-KY.

In 1990, per capita personal income ranged from a high of $18,339 in Nashville, TN, 98.1 percent of the national average ($18,696), to a low of $12,451 in Clarksville-Hopkinsville, TN-KY, 66.6 percent of the national average. In all seven metropolitan areas except for Clarksville-Hopkinsville, TN-KY, per capita personal income as a percent of the national average increased from 1985 to 1990.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME FOR TENNESSEE, 1985-90

	1985			1990			1985-90 Percent Change
	Dollars	Percent of State Average	Rank	Dollar	Percent of State Average	Rank	
Tennessee	$11,374	100.0%		$15,868	100.0%		39.5%
Anderson	11,969	105.2	8	16,402	103.4	9	37.0
Bedford	10,589	93.1	19	14,412	90.8	24	36.1
Benton	9,490	83.4	42	13,285	83.7	41	40.0
Bledsoe	7,685	67.6	79	10,367	65.3	87	34.9
Blount	11,383	100.1	11	15,304	96.4	15	34.4
Bradley	10,824	95.2	17	14,665	92.4	20	35.5
Campbell	7,945	69.9	77	10,912	68.8	81	37.3
Cannon	9,675	85.1	40	13,587	85.6	34	40.4
Carroll	9,216	81.0	48	12,827	80.8	51	39.2
Carter	8,368	73.6	72	11,390	71.8	75	36.1
Cheatham	10,536	92.6	22	13,938	87.8	28	32.3
Chester	8,692	76.4	68	11,530	72.7	73	32.7
Claiborne	8,791	77.3	64	12,766	80.5	53	45.2
Clay	7,619	67.0	81	12,031	75.8	61	57.9
Cocke	7,402	65.1	86	10,794	68.0	82	45.8
Coffee	11,476	100.9	10	15,518	97.8	12	35.2
Crockett	8,990	79.0	57	13,280	83.7	42	47.7
Cumberland	9,283	81.6	46	12,420	78.3	55	33.8
Davidson	14,289	125.6	2	19,505	122.9	2	36.5
Decatur	8,367	73.6	73	11,441	72.1	74	36.7
DeKalb	9,259	81.4	47	13,018	82.0	46	40.6
Dickson	11,100	97.6	13	14,961	94.3	17	34.8
Dyer	10,302	90.6	24	14,854	93.6	18	44.2
Fayette	8,976	78.9	58	13,344	84.1	38	48.7
Fentress	6,867	60.4	93	9,617	60.6	93	40.0
Franklin	9,193	80.8	51	11,797	74.3	66	28.3
Gibson	10,199	89.7	25	14,075	88.7	25	38.0
Giles	10,152	89.3	27	13,582	85.6	35	33.8
Grainger	7,085	62.3	90	10,504	66.2	85	48.3
Greene	9,357	82.3	44	13,017	82.0	47	39.1
Grundy	7,678	67.5	80	11,020	69.4	79	43.5
Hamblen	9,121	80.2	55	13,779	86.8	32	51.1
Hamilton	13,026	114.5	4	18,242	115.0	4	40.0
Hancock	5,987	52.6	95	8,996	56.7	94	50.3
Hardeman	8,107	71.3	76	11,710	73.8	68	44.4
Hardin	8,543	75.1	69	11,603	73.1	70	35.8
Hawkins	8,455	74.3	70	12,061	76.0	60	42.6
Haywood	$8,701	76.5%	67	$12,905	81.3%	49	48.3%
Henderson	9,109	80.1	56	12,317	77.6	56	35.2
Henry	10,125	89.0	29	13,333	84.0	39	31.7
Hickman	9,334	82.1	45	12,246	77.2	58	31.2
Houston	9,137	80.3	54	11,844	74.6	65	29.6
Humphreys	9,753	85.7	35	12,900	81.3	50	32.3
Jackson	7,446	65.5	84	9,846	62.0	89	32.2
Jefferson	8,970	78.9	59	13,309	83.9	40	48.4
Johnson	7,255	63.8	88	9,901	62.4	88	36.5
Knox	12,242	107.6	7	17,382	109.5	5	42.0
Lake	6,943	61.0	92	11,024	69.5	78	58.8
Lauderdale	8,721	76.7	65	12,292	77.5	57	40.9
Lawrence	9,746	85.7	37	13,193	83.1	44	35.4
Lewis	7,484	65.8	83	10,466	66.0	86	39.8
Lincoln	9,968	87.6	32	13,805	87.0	31	38.5
Loudon	9,738	85.6	39	13,832	87.2	30	42.0
Macon	8,451	74.3	71	11,601	73.1	71	37.3
Madison	10,631	93.5	18	15,262	96.2	16	43.6
Marion	9,159	80.5	53	12,024	75.8	62	31.3
Marshall	10,863	95.5	16	14,461	91.1	22	33.1
Maury	10,562	92.9	21	16,806	105.9	6	59.1
McMinn	9,836	86.5	34	13,455	84.8	37	36.8
McNairy	8,897	78.2	61	12,232	77.1	59	37.5
Meigs	8,872	78.0	62	11,666	73.5	69	31.5
Monroe	8,257	72.6	75	11,772	74.2	67	42.6
Montgomery	10,149	89.2	28	13,169	83.0	45	29.8
Moore	8,718	76.6	66	11,854	74.7	64	36.0
Morgan	7,408	65.1	85	10,639	67.0	83	43.6
Obion	10,576	93.0	20	14,417	90.9	23	36.3
Overton	6,974	61.3	91	9,642	60.8	92	38.3
Perry	8,837	77.7	63	11,987	75.5	63	35.6
Pickett	6,287	55.3	94	8,645	54.5	95	37.5
Polk	9,212	81.0	49	10,979	69.2	80	19.2
Putnam	10,074	88.6	30	14,550	91.7	21	44.4
Rhea	10,195	89.6	26	13,841	87.2	29	35.8
Roane	10,927	96.1	15	15,411	97.1	14	41.0
Robertson	10,051	88.4	31	13,776	86.8	33	37.1
Rutherford	11,691	102.8	9	15,501	97.7	13	32.6
Scott	7,567	66.5	82	11,119	70.1	77	46.9

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME FOR TENNESSEE, 1985-90

	1985			1990			
	Dollars	Percent of State Average	Rank	Dollars	Percent of State Average	Rank	1985-90 Percent Change
Sequatchie	$7,717	67.8%	78	$11,197	70.6%	76	45.1%
Sevier	9,742	85.7	38	13,577	85.6	36	39.4
Shelby	13,079	115.0	3	18,430	116.1	3	40.9
Smith	10,425	91.7	23	14,726	92.8	19	41.3
Stewart	8,901	78.3	60	11,601	73.1	72	30.3
Sullivan	11,364	99.9	12	15,747	99.2	11	38.6
Sumner	12,424	109.2	5	16,514	104.1	8	32.9
Tipton	9,750	85.7	36	13,978	88.1	26	43.4
Trousdale	9,645	84.8	41	12,983	81.8	48	34.6
Unicoi	9,160	80.5	52	12,683	79.9	54	38.5
Union	7,110	62.5	89	9,843	62.0	90	38.4
VanBuren	7,305	64.2	87	9,753	61.5	91	33.5
Warren	9,362	82.3	43	13,222	83.3	43	41.2
Washington	10,959	96.4	14	15,982	100.7	10	45.8
Wayne	8,344	73.4	74	10,631	67.0	84	27.4
Weakley	9,203	80.9	50	13,972	88.1	27	51.8
White	9,895	87.0	33	12,777	80.5	52	29.1
Williamson	17,176	151.0	1	24,084	151.8	1	40.2
Wilson	12,399	109.0	6	16,759	105.6	7	35.2

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME FOR METROPOLITAN AREAS, 1985-90

	1985		1990		
	Dollars	Percent of National Average	Dollars	Percent of National Average	1985-90 Percent Change
United States	$13,942		18,696		34.1%
Chattanooga, TN-GA	11,816	84.8%	16,298	87.2%	37.9
Clarksville-Hopkinsville, TN-KY	9,643	69.2	12,451	66.6	29.1
Jackson, TN	10,631	76.3	15,262	81.6	43.6
Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA	10,301	73.9	14,520	77.7	41.0
Knoxville, TN	11,454	82.2	16,066	85.9	40.3
Memphis, TN-AR-MS	12,633	90.6	17,797	95.2	40.9
Nashville, TN	13,518	97.0	18,339	98.1	35.7

COUNTY UNEMPLOYMENT RATES

	July			July	
County	1991	1992	County	1991	1992
Anderson	5.9	5.7	Lauderdale	12.0	9.9
Bedford	9.9	8.4	Lawrence	16.9	11.9
Benton	9.3	8.5	Lewis	10.3	8.3
Bledsoe	9.1	5.5	Lincoln	11.4	7.4
Blount	6.5	6.7	Loudon	7.9	6.6
Bradley	6.9	6.1	Macon	9.9	6.5
Campbell	18.6	14.1	Madison	6.0	6.4
Cannon	8.3	7.0	Marion	10.3	9.3
Carroll	7.7	10.6	Marshall	10.4	7.3
Carter	6.6	6.5	Maury	10.8	8.3
Cheatham	5.3	5.5	McMinn	10.7	8.9
Chester	6.6	6.8	McNairy	8.5	7.2
Claiborne	8.4	5.6	Meigs	12.3	11.4
Clay	5.0	5.5	Monroe	12.2	8.7
Cocke	11.8	9.6	Montgomery	8.9	9.5
Coffee	7.2	6.6	Moore	13.6	7.5
Crockett	5.4	5.3	Morgan	9.9	9.7
Cumberland	9.3	8.3	Obion	10.4	8.4
Davidson	4.8	4.9	Overton	12.2	8.1
Decatur	22.2	13.0	Perry	17.7	8.9
DeKalb	8.7	6.7	Pickett	5.7	6.4
Dickson	7.3	6.1	Polk	15.1	12.7
Dyer	8.1	6.6	Putnam	6.4	5.6
Fayette	9.8	9.7	Rhea	11.9	9.8
Fentress	9.7	9.6	Roane	7.0	7.2
Franklin	6.3	6.8	Robertson	7.6	6.7
Gibson	7.6	7.8	Rutherford	5.5	5.3
Giles	10.5	9.3	Scott	14.8	15.4
Grainger	9.0	7.1	Sequatchie	9.4	10.1
Greene	13.6	11.2	Sevier	4.7	4.7
Grundy	13.7	13.0	Shelby	5.7	5.6
Hamblen	10.0	7.5	Smith	7.7	5.7
Hamilton	6.5	5.2	Stewart	7.0	7.2
Hancock	5.9	5.9	Sullivan	5.0	5.2
Hardeman	8.5	9.4	Sumner	7.8	6.7
Hardin	10.6	10.9	Tipton	7.3	7.1
Hawkins	5.3	5.6	Trousdale	9.8	6.2
Haywood	15.3	15.1	Unicoi	10.9	8.6
Henderson	13.2	9.5	Union	7.1	6.5
Henry	7.2	6.4	Van Buren	20.9	17.7
Hickman	9.7	7.9	Warren	10.1	7.8
Houston	11.3	14.7	Washington	6.2	4.9
Humphreys	15.2	16.5	Wayne	13.0	9.1
Jackson	8.3	9.6	Weakley	6.0	5.8
Jefferson	8.4	7.2	White	12.2	11.3
Johnson	8.8	8.3	Williamson	3.3	4.2
Knox	5.2	5.3	Wilson	5.3	5.4
Lake	6.4	7.9			

TENNESSEE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE SUMMARY

	July 1991				Revised June 1992				Preliminary July 1992			
	Labor Force	Employment	Unemploy.	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemploy.	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemploy.	Rate
Seasonally Adjusted												
U.S.[1]	125,204,000	116,729,000	8,475,000	6.8	127,549,000	117,574,000	9,975,000	7.8	127,532,000	117,772,000	9,760,000	7.7
TENNESSEE[2]	2,419,000	2,248,300	170,700	7.1	2,435,400	2,275,000	160,400	6.6	2,432,500	2,274,700	157,800	6.5
Not Seasonally Adjusted												
U.S.[1]	127,327,000	118,751,000	8,576,000	6.7	129,002,000	118,907,000	10,095,000	7.8	129,599,000	119,754,000	9,845,000	7.6
TENNESSEE[2]	2,458,800	2,284,300	174,500	7.1	2,468,800	2,290,600	178,200	7.2	2,473,300	2,312,100	161,200	6.5
METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS[2]												
CHATTANOOGA	215,500	202,100	13,400	6.2	215,900	200,900	15,000	6.9	216,700	203,500	13,200	6.1
JOHNSON CITY, KINGSPORT, AND BRISTOL	233,100	219,000	14,100	6.0	234,800	219,600	15,200	6.5	233,900	220,300	13,600	5.8
KNOXVILLE	302,000	284,700	17,300	5.7	301,900	283,000	18,900	6.3	300,200	283,200	17,000	5.7
MEMPHIS	479,700	451,300	28,400	5.9	473,200	440,500	32,700	6.9	478,100	450,200	27,900	5.8
NASHVILLE	537,900	509,200	28,700	5.3	533,200	501,700	31,500	5.9	532,800	505,000	27,800	5.2

[1] Error range for these estimates is plus or minus 0 2 percentage points.

[2] Error range for these estimates cannot be computed.

Tennessee's July unemployment rate of 6.5 percent was one-tenth of a percentage point lower than the June rate and continued to be lower than the national rate of 7.7 percent.

Over the year, Tennessee's unemployment rate declined from 7.1 percent in July 1991 to 6.5 percent in July 1992. Nationally, the unemployment rate went up from 6.8 percent in July 1991 to 7.7 percent in July 1992.

Across the state, the unemployment rate declined in 75 counties, increased in 19 counties, and remained the same in one county. Williamson County at 4.2 percent, unchanged from June, had the state's lowest unemployment rate. Van Buren County at 17.7 percent, up from 8.7 percent, registered the state's highest unemployment rate due to temporary layoffs in the apparel industry.

Total nonagricultural employment showed an increase of 10,000 jobs (+0.5 percent) from July 1991 to July 1992. This was an improvement over the previous year when nonagricultural employment declined by 16,700 jobs (-0.8 percent).

Over the year, services continued to be the major source of growth with an increase of 8,900 jobs. Trade increased by 5,600 and manufacturing increased 3,100. Employment was lost in construction, down by 5,200; government declined by 1,100; and food and kindred products also lost 1,100 jobs.

From June to July, nonagricultural employment has traditionally declined primarily due to seasonal layoffs in manufacturing and school employment. Nonagricultural employment over the month declined by 6,400, which was the smallest decline from June to July since 1986.

Local education employment declined by 4,500 jobs due to school personnel furloughed for the summer. Industrial machinery and equipment lost 1,800 jobs because of plant closures and seasonal layoffs. Apparel was down by 1,200.

STATEWIDE

ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT* (in thousands)

Industry	July 1991	Revised June 1992	Preliminary July 1992	Net Change July 1991 to July 1992	Net Change June 1992 to July 1992
TOTAL	2167.6	2184.0	2177.6	10.0	-6.4
Goods Producing	594.1	595.9	591.7	-2.4	-4.2
Manufacturing	497.2	504.4	500.3	3.1	-4.1
Durable Goods	245.3	253.1	249.2	3.9	-3.9
Lumber & Wood Products	18.7	18.7	18.7	0.0	0.0
Furniture & Fixtures	25.3	26.1	25.9	0.6	-0.2
Stone, Clay, & Glass Products	13.1	13.2	13.0	-0.1	-0.2
Primary Metal Industries	14.8	15.0	14.2	-0.6	-0.8
Fabricated Metal Products	41.5	42.1	41.8	0.3	-0.3
Industrial Machinery & Equipment	35.4	38.9	37.1	1.7	-1.8
Electronic & Other Electric Equip.	34.7	34.7	34.2	-0.5	-0.5
Transportation Equipment	40.0	42.7	42.7	2.7	0.0
Instruments & Related Products	10.8	10.4	10.5	-0.3	0.1
Miscellaneous Manufacturing	11.0	11.3	11.1	0.1	-0.2
Nondurable Goods	251.9	251.3	251.1	-0.8	-0.2
Food & Kindred Products	38.0	36.7	36.9	-1.1	0.2
Meat Products	8.4	7.8	7.8	-0.6	0.0
Tobacco	1.0	1.1	1.1	0.1	0.0
Textile Mill Products	19.8	20.0	20.1	0.3	0.1
Knitting Mills	8.6	9.0	9.1	0.5	0.1
Apparel & Other Fabricated Products	58.1	59.0	57.8	-0.3	-1.2
Paper & Allied Products	21.8	20.3	21.2	-0.6	0.9
Printing & Publishing	37.5	37.3	37.3	-0.2	0.0
Chemicals & Allied Products	38.9	39.5	39.6	0.7	0.1
Petroleum Refining, Etc.	1.1	1.0	1.0	-0.1	0.0
Rubber & Miscellaneous Plastics	27.3	28.1	27.8	0.5	-0.3
Leather & Leather Products	8.4	8.3	8.3	-0.1	0.0
Mining	5.6	5.3	5.3	-0.3	0.0
Construction	91.3	86.2	86.1	-5.2	-0.1
Service Producing	1573.5	1588.1	1585.9	12.4	-2.2
Transportation, Communication, & Public Util.	115.6	114.6	115.2	-0.4	0.6
Transportation	87.4	87.2	87.7	0.3	0.5
Communications & Public Utilities	28.2	27.4	27.5	-0.7	0.1
Trade	511.5	515.9	517.1	5.6	1.2
Wholesale Trade	127.6	127.0	126.9	-0.7	-0.1
Durable Goods	71.6	71.0	70.9	-0.7	-0.1
Nondurable Goods	56.0	56.0	56.0	0.0	0.0
Retail Trade	383.9	388.9	390.2	6.3	1.3
Building Materials & Garden Supplies	14.7	15.0	14.9	0.2	-0.1
Retail General Merchandise	53.0	55.5	55.6	2.6	0.1
Food Stores	65.6	66.4	66.7	1.1	0.3
Automotive Dealers & Service Stations	41.6	41.1	41.4	-0.2	0.3
Apparel & Accessory Stores	21.0	21.5	21.6	0.6	0.1
Furniture & Home Furnishings	13.6	13.8	13.9	0.3	0.1
Eating & Drinking Places	131.9	132.4	132.7	0.8	0.3
Miscellaneous Retail	42.5	43.2	43.4	0.9	0.2
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	104.6	104.1	104.0	-0.6	-0.1
Finance	47.6	47.7	47.6	0.0	-0.1
Insurance	35.9	35.5	35.5	-0.4	0.0
Real Estate & Investment Offices	21.1	20.9	20.9	-0.2	0.0
Services	508.9	518.4	517.8	8.9	-0.6
Hotels & Other Lodging	32.6	31.8	32.1	-0.5	1.1
Personal Services	23.6	23.9	23.6	0.0	-0.3
Business Services	97.1	100.6	99.7	2.6	-0.9
Health Services	165.0	169.5	170.2	5.2	0.7
Hospitals	75.7	77.4	77.6	1.9	0.2
Government	332.9	335.1	331.8	-1.1	-3.3
Federal	60.1	57.6	57.5	-2.6	-0.1
State	86.9	86.3	86.7	-0.2	0.4
State Education	42.3	42.4	42.7	0.4	0.3
Local	185.9	191.2	187.6	1.7	-3.6
Local Education	81.7	87.4	82.9	1.2	-4.5

*Estimates include all full- and part-time nonagricultural wage and salary employees who worked during, or received pay for, any part of the pay period which includes the 12th of the month. This is a count of jobs by place of work. Agricultural workers, proprietors, self-employed persons, workers in private households, and unpaid family workers are excluded.

HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992
All Manufacturing	$388.44	$407.03	$407.32	39.0	40.5	39.7	$9.96	$10.05	$10.26
Durable Goods	393.08	424.13	416.06	38.2	40.9	39.7	10.29	10.37	10.48
Lumber & Wood Products	273.32	283.91	280.37	39.9	40.1	39.6	6.85	7.08	7.08
Furniture & Fixtures	300.96	335.78	324.86	35.2	38.2	37.0	8.55	8.79	8.78
Stone, Clay, & Glass	516.24	533.82	503.42	41.2	44.3	43.7	12.53	12.05	11.52
Primary Metal Industries	494.32	532.88	498.54	41.4	43.5	41.1	11.94	12.25	12.13
Fabricated Metal Products	439.90	436.48	448.19	40.1	41.1	37.6	10.97	10.62	11.92
Ind. Machinery, Electronic, & Other Electric Equipment	383.46	475.51	421.42	38.5	42.8	42.1	9.96	11.11	10.01
Instruments & Related Products	389.47	418.82	401.76	39.5	40.9	39.7	9.86	10.24	10.12
Nondurable Goods	384.64	389.37	397.79	39.9	40.1	39.7	9.64	9.71	10.02
Food & Kindred Products	396.24	411.68	410.06	41.3	41.5	40.6	9.57	9.92	10.10
Textile Mill Products	333.32	352.79	391.02	42.3	42.2	42.0	7.88	8.36	9.31
Apparel & Other Fabricated Prod.	243.39	249.56	248.41	36.6	38.1	38.1	6.65	6.55	6.52
Paper & Allied Products	535.91	570.72	554.70	44.4	43.7	43.0	12.07	13.06	12.90
Chemical & Allied Products	549.20	481.54	503.58	40.0	38.4	38.5	13.73	12.54	13.08
Rubber & Miscellaneous Plastics	435.51	452.10	451.13	40.4	41.1	40.1	10.78	11.00	11.25
Leather & Leather Products	275.72	273.82	277.95	41.4	39.8	40.4	6.66	6.88	6.88

TENNESSEE UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
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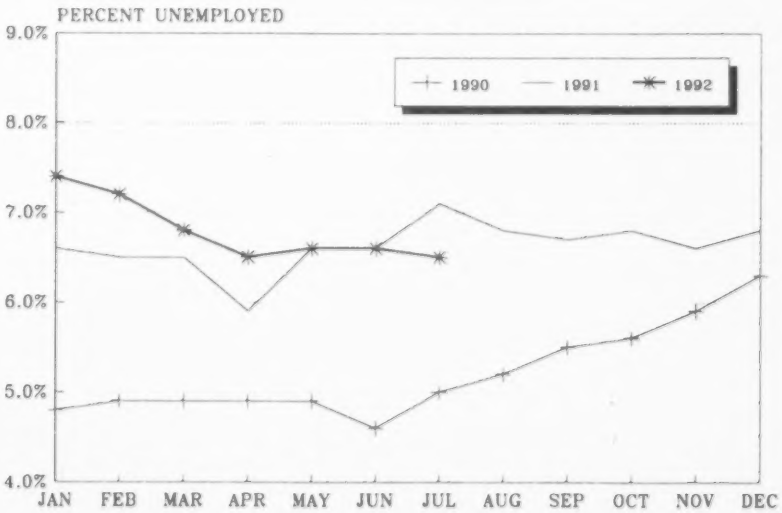

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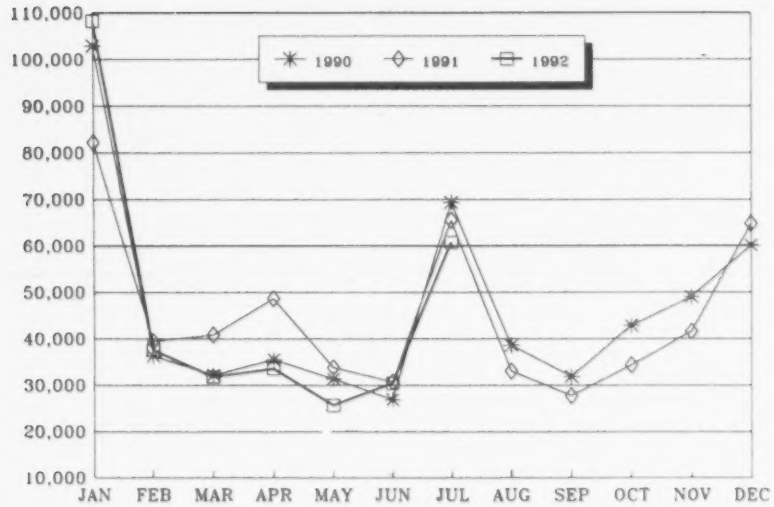
STATE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACTIVITIES

MONTHLY INITIAL CLAIMS



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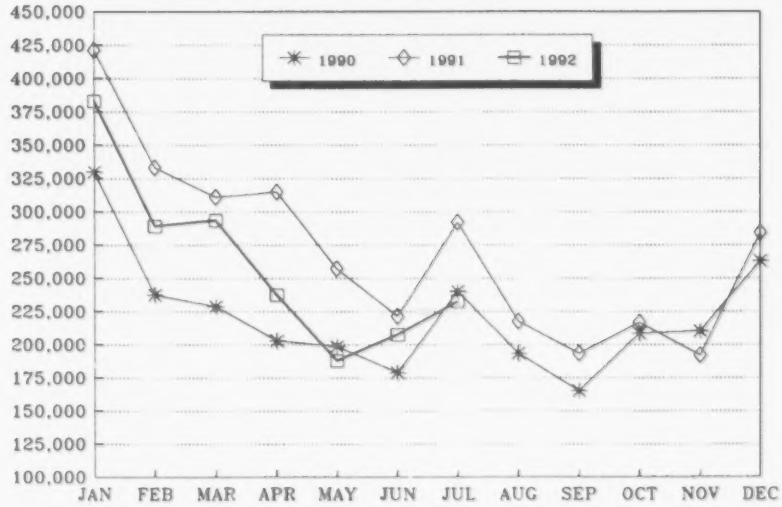

STATE BENEFIT PROGRAM

CLAIMS	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992
Initial Claims	65,489	30,457	60,739
Continued Weeks Claimed	291,983	207,531	232,334
Nonmonetary Determinations	4,533	4,235	4,463
Appeals Decisions	1,592	1,509	N/A
Lower Authority	1,303	1,178	N/A
Higher Authority	289	331	252

BENEFITS			
Amount Paid	$30,049,111	$23,061,971	$23,721,697
Benefit Weeks Paid	252,007	184,519	194,115
Average Weekly Benefit Amount	$117	$123	$123
First Payments	22,066	11,530	18,775
Final Payments	7,998	6,400	6,159
Average Weeks Duration	10	13	13
Trust Fund Balance	$616,548,219	$590,686,784	$591,272,666

FEDERAL BENEFIT PROGRAMS

FORMER FEDERAL EMPLOYEES:	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992
Benefits Paid	$1,487,846	$1,201,875	$1,247,374
Benefit Weeks Claimed	6,317	5,584	5,677
Initial Claims	674	580	513
Continued Weeks Claimed	6,582	5,788	5,815
Appeals Decisions	17	13	N/A

FORMER MILITARY PERSONNEL:			
Benefits Paid	$249,152	$885,439	$936,062
Benefit Weeks Claimed	1,347	4,924	5,122
Initial Claims	331	575	635
Continued Weeks Claimed	1,600	5,197	5,527
Appeals Decisions	5	9	N/A

CHATTANOOGA MSA*

Total nonagricultural employment decreased 300 jobs from June to July but grew by 2,800 jobs over the year. The primary metal industry decreased by 600 jobs due to temporary layoffs which also affected the average weekly hours in fabricated metals. A seasonal decrease was experienced in local government (-400) due to the summer vacation of public schools. Services increased by 500 jobs with the largest increase in educational services.

ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (In thousands)

Industry	July 1991	Revised June 1992	Preliminary July 1992	Net Change July 1991 to July 1992	Net Change June 1992 to July 1992
TOTAL	198.6	201.7	201.4	2.8	-0.3
Goods Producing	51.1	51.1	50.6	-0.5	-0.5
Manufacturing	43.7	43.9	43.3	-0.4	-0.6
Durable Goods	16.1	16.4	15.8	-0.3	-0.6
Lumber & Wood Products, including Furniture	1.2	1.2	1.2	0.0	0.0
Stone, Clay, & Glass Products	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.0	0.0
Primary Metal Industries	3.2	3.4	2.8	-0.4	-0.6
Fabricated Metal Products	3.2	3.1	3.1	-0.1	0.0
Industrial Machinery & Equipment	2.7	2.9	2.9	0.2	0.0
All Other Durable Goods	5.0	5.0	5.0	0.0	0.0
Nondurable Goods	27.6	27.5	27.5	-0.1	0.0
Food & Kindred Products	6.6	6.7	6.7	0.1	0.0
Textile Mill Products	11.6	11.6	11.6	0.0	0.0
Knitting Mills	2.4	2.5	2.5	0.1	0.0
Apparel & Other Fabricated Products	1.4	1.3	1.3	-0.1	0.0
Paper & Allied Products	1.6	1.7	1.7	0.1	0.0
Printing & Publishing	2.2	2.2	2.1	-0.1	-0.1
Chemicals & Allied Products	3.2	3.0	3.1	-0.1	0.1
All Other Nondurable Goods	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	0.0
Mining	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.0	0.0
Construction	6.7	6.5	6.6	-0.1	0.1
Service Producing	147.5	150.6	150.8	3.3	0.2
Trans., Communication, & Public Utilities	8.5	8.5	8.6	0.1	0.1
Trade	47.7	49.4	49.5	1.8	0.1
Wholesale Trade	11.1	11.0	11.0	-0.1	0.0
Wholesale Durable Goods	7.0	6.8	6.8	-0.2	0.0
Wholesale Nondurable Goods	4.1	4.2	4.2	0.1	0.0
Retail Trade	36.6	38.4	38.5	1.9	0.1
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	13.4	13.4	13.4	0.0	0.0
Services	44.1	45.1	45.6	1.5	0.5
Government	33.8	34.2	33.7	-0.1	-0.5
Federal	7.9	7.0	6.9	-1.0	-0.1
State & Local	25.9	27.2	26.8	0.9	-0.4
State	6.7	6.7	6.7	0.0	0.0
Local	19.2	20.5	20.1	0.9	-0.4

Estimates include all full- and part-time nonagricultural wage and salary employees who worked during, or received pay for, any part of the pay period which includes the 12th of the month. This is a count of jobs by place of work. Agricultural workers, proprietors, self-employed persons, workers in private households, and unpaid family workers are excluded.

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*The Chattanooga Metropolitan Statistical Area includes Hamilton, Marion, and Sequatchie counties in Tennessee and Catoosa, Dade, and Walker counties in Georgia.

HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS — **CHATTANOOGA MSA**

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992
All Manufacturing	$380.30	$403.09	$381.90	41.7	42.7	40.2	$9.12	$9.44	$9.50
Durable Goods	388.33	442.82	389.86	41.4	43.8	39.3	9.38	10.11	9.92
Stone, Clay & Glass Products	326.84	408.53	412.52	40.4	42.6	44.5	8.09	9.59	9.27
Primary Metal Industries	408.44	525.04	453.17	40.6	46.3	40.9	10.06	11.34	11.08
Fabricated Metal Products	387.70	463.80	252.54	38.5	41.3	24.4	10.07	11.23	10.35
Machinery, Except Electrical	451.73	460.28	472.27	39.8	42.5	41.5	11.35	10.83	11.38
Nondurable Goods	375.01	377.16	375.66	41.9	42.0	40.7	8.96	8.98	9.23
Textile Mill Products	339.04	343.44	337.22	42.7	43.2	42.1	7.94	7.95	8.01
Knitting Mills	283.82	303.65	291.64	46.0	45.8	46.0	6.17	6.63	6.34
Paper and Allied Products	517.61	530.60	544.80	46.8	46.3	43.9	11.06	11.46	12.41
Chemicals and Allied Products	590.46	557.66	579.44	43.9	41.4	41.3	13.45	13.47	14.03

CHATTANOOGA MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
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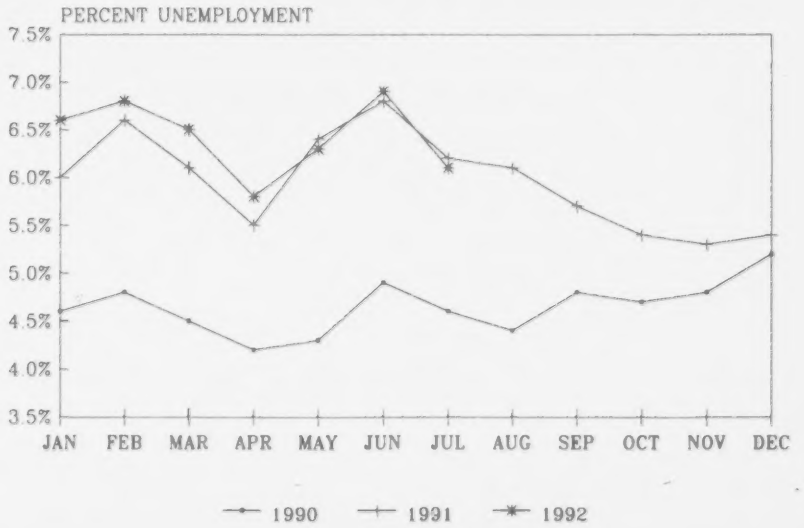

JOHNSON CITY, KINGSPORT, AND BRISTOL MSA*

Total nonagricultural employment decreased by 1,700 between June and July but increased by 1,400 over the year. Construction and mining decreased by 200 jobs. Seasonal decreases were experienced in local government (-1,900) due to the summer vacation of public schools.

ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (In thousands)

Industry	July 1991	Revised June 1992	Preliminary July 1992	Net Change July 1991 to July 1992	Net Change June 1992 to July 1992
TOTAL	175.0	178.1	176.4	1.4	-1.7
Goods Producing	64.0	63.7	63.7	-0.3	0.0
Manufacturing	55.0	54.0	54.2	-0.8	0.2
Durable Goods	21.8	21.4	21.3	-0.5	-0.1
Lumber & Wood Products, including Furniture	1.9	2.3	2.2	0.3	-0.1
Stone, Clay, & Glass Products	2.3	2.2	2.2	-0.1	0.0
Primary Metal Industry and Fabricated Metal Products	4.5	4.3	4.4	-0.1	0.1
Machinery and Electronic & Electric Equipment	7.6	7.8	7.8	0.2	0.0
All Other Durable Goods	5.5	4.8	4.7	-0.8	-0.1
Nondurable Goods	33.2	32.6	32.9	-0.3	0.3
Food & Kindred Products	2.2	2.0	2.1	-0.1	0.1
Textile Mill Products	2.6	2.7	2.7	0.1	0.0
Apparel & Other Fabricated Prod.	4.0	4.0	4.0	0.0	0.0
Paper & Allied Products and Printing & Publishing	6.6	6.4	6.5	-0.1	0.1
All Other Nondurable Goods	17.8	17.5	17.6	-0.2	0.1
Mining & Construction	9.0	9.7	9.5	0.5	-0.2
Service Producing	111.0	114.4	112.7	1.7	-1.7
Trans., Communication, & Public Util.	6.3	6.4	6.5	0.2	0.1
Trade	39.3	40.0	40.1	0.8	0.1
Wholesale Trade	8.2	8.4	8.4	0.2	0.0
Wholesale Durable Goods	4.0	4.1	4.1	0.1	0.0
Wholesale Nondurable Goods	4.2	4.3	4.3	0.1	0.0
Retail Trade	31.1	31.6	31.7	0.6	0.1
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	5.7	5.7	5.6	-0.1	-0.1
Services	36.5	37.4	37.4	0.9	0.0
Government	23.2	24.9	23.1	-0.1	-1.8
Federal	2.9	2.9	2.9	0.0	0.0
State & Local	20.3	22.0	20.2	-0.1	-1.8
State	5.4	5.3	5.4	0.0	0.1
Local	14.9	16.7	14.8	-0.1	-1.9

Estimates include all full- and part-time nonagricultural wage and salary employees who worked during, or received pay for, any part of the pay period which includes the 12th of the month. This is a count of jobs by place of work. Agricultural workers, proprietors, self-employed persons, workers in private households, and unpaid family workers are excluded.

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* The Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol Metropolitan Statistical Area includes Carter, Hawkins, Sullivan, Unicoi, and Washington counties in Tennessee and Scott County, Washington County, and Bristol City in Virginia.

HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS JOHNSON CITY-KINGSPORT-BRISTOL MSA

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992
All Manufacturing	$426.50	$387.70	$397.06	39.2	38.5	38.7	$10.88	$10.07	$10.26
Durable Goods	415.34	378.28	380.44	40.8	39.2	39.1	10.18	9.65	9.73
Primary & Fabricated Metal Prod.	457.73	456.22	445.62	42.5	42.4	42.4	10.77	10.76	10.51
Mach. & Elec. and Electronic Equip.	358.06	288.20	289.98	36.8	32.9	32.4	9.73	8.76	8.95
Nondurable Goods	433.96	395.48	406.58	37.9	38.1	38.4	11.45	10.38	10.64
Food & Kindred Products	364.06	405.08	433.16	39.4	38.0	39.2	9.24	10.66	11.05
Apparel & Other Fabricated Prod.	250.72	242.17	241.92	40.9	38.5	38.4	6.13	6.29	6.30

TRI-CITIES MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
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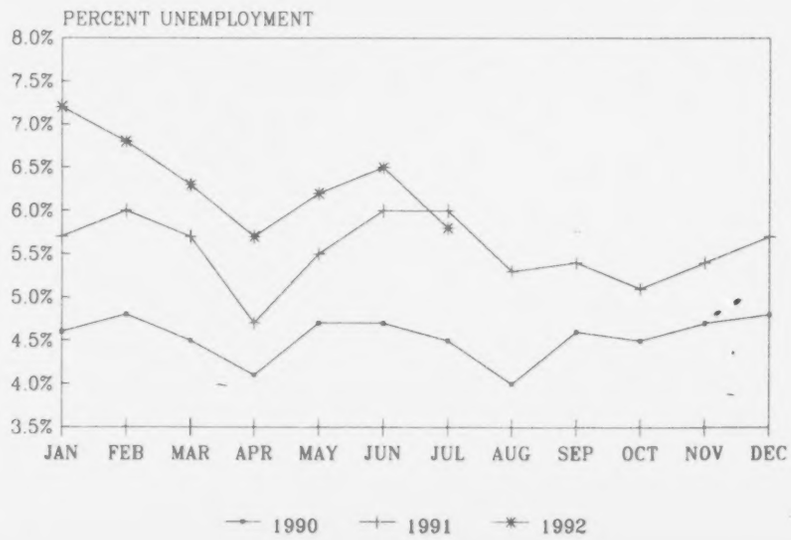

KNOXVILLE MSA*

Total nonagricultural employment decreased by 3,500 jobs between June and July and by 300 over the year. Industrial machinery decreased by 300 jobs due to a plant closure. Apparel decreased by 200 jobs due to temporary layoffs. Services decreased by 500 jobs with loses in business services and hotels and other lodging. Local government dropped by 2,600 jobs due to summer vacation of public schools. A seasonal increase of 300 jobs was experienced in construction. Employment in state government rose 300 jobs.

ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)

Industry	July 1991	Revised June 1992	Preliminary July 1992	Net Change July 1991 to July 1992	Net Change June 1992 to July 1992
TOTAL	273.5	276.7	273.2	-0.3	-3.5
Goods Producing	63.6	63.8	63.4	-0.2	-0.4
Manufacturing	50.6	50.8	50.1	-0.5	-0.7
Durable Goods	30.5	31.0	30.6	0.1	-0.4
Lumber & Wood Products	2.5	2.4	2.5	0.0	0.1
Furniture & Fixtures	2.3	2.5	2.5	0.2	0.0
Stone, Clay, & Glass Products	1.3	1.4	1.3	0.0	-0.1
Industrial Machinery & Equipment	2.1	2.1	1.8	-0.3	-0.3
All Other Durable Goods	22.3	22.6	22.5	0.2	-0.1
Nondurable Goods	20.1	19.8	19.5	-0.6	-0.3
Food & Kindred Products	3.4	2.8	2.7	-0.7	-0.1
Textile Mill Products	1.7	1.8	1.8	0.1	0.0
Apparel & Other Fabricated Prod.	8.4	8.6	8.4	0.0	-0.2
Paper, and Printing & Publishing	4.2	4.0	4.0	-0.2	0.0
All Other Nondurable Goods	2.4	2.6	2.6	0.2	0.0
Mining	1.3	1.4	1.4	0.1	0.0
Construction	11.7	11.6	11.9	0.2	0.3
Service Producing	209.9	212.9	209.8	-0.1	-3.1
Trans., Communication, & Utilities	10.4	10.3	10.4	0.0	0.1
Trade	73.0	72.3	72.1	-0.9	-0.2
Wholesale Trade	15.2	15.2	15.1	-0.1	-0.1
Wholesale Durable Goods	9.3	9.0	9.0	-0.3	0.0
Wholesale Nondurable Goods	5.9	6.2	6.1	0.2	-0.1
Retail Trade	57.8	57.1	57.0	-0.8	-0.1
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	9.9	9.6	9.4	-0.5	-0.2
Services	66.9	67.2	66.7	-0.2	-0.5
Government	49.7	53.5	51.2	1.5	-2.3
Federal	7.0	7.0	7.0	0.0	0.0
State & Local	42.7	46.5	44.2	1.5	-2.3
State	21.2	22.2	22.5	1.3	0.3
Local	21.5	24.3	21.7	0.2	-2.6

Estimates include all full- and part-time nonagricultural wage and salary employees who worked during, or received pay for, any part of the pay period which includes the 12th of the month. This is a count of jobs by place of work. Agricultural workers, proprietors, self-employed persons, workers in private households, and unpaid family workers are excluded.

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* The Knoxville Metropolitan Statistical Area includes Anderson, Blount, Grainger, Jefferson, Knox, Sevier, and Union counties.

HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS — **KNOXVILLE MSA**

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992
All Manufacturing	$394.00	$408.44	$402.21	39.4	40.6	38.6	$10.00	$10.06	$10.42
Durable Goods	426.66	443.64	436.98	40.1	41.5	38.5	10.64	10.69	11.35
Stone, Clay, & Glass Products	414.47	389.38	384.27	41.2	41.6	37.6	10.06	9.36	10.22
Machinery, Except Electrical	470.42	467.89	459.36	48.9	49.2	47.9	9.62	9.51	9.59
Nondurable Goods	349.58	355.94	352.30	38.5	39.2	38.8	9.08	9.08	9.08
Food and Kindred Products	342.91	375.96	331.19	38.4	39.0	38.6	8.93	9.64	8.58
Textile Mill Products	352.56	323.11	336.96	39.0	34.3	35.1	9.04	9.42	9.60
Apparel & Other Fabricated Prod.	290.22	297.60	301.02	38.8	40.0	39.4	7.48	7.44	7.64

KNOXVILLE MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
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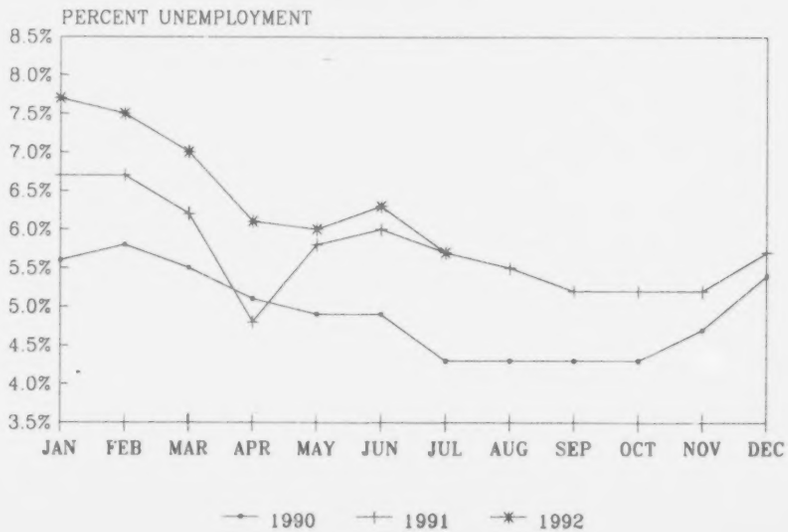

MEMPHIS MSA*

Total nonagricultural employment increased by 1,200 jobs between June and July. Paper products increased by 1,000 jobs due to recalls. Other major increases occurred in trade (+500) and in transportation, communication and public utilities (+200). State and local government dropped by 500 jobs due to seasonal decreases in educational services.

ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)

Industry	July 1991	Revised June 1992	Preliminary July 1992	Net Change July 1991 to July 1992	Net Change June 1992 to July 1992
TOTAL	469.6	468.6	469.8	0.2	1.2
Goods Producing	79.2	78.0	78.9	-0.3	0.9
Manufacturing	60.0	59.3	60.3	0.3	1.0
Durable Goods	26.2	26.8	26.8	0.6	0.0
Lumber & Wood Products	1.8	1.8	1.8	0.0	0.0
Sawmills & Planing Mills	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0
Furniture & Fixtures	1.8	1.8	1.8	0.0	0.0
Fabricated Metal Products	5.5	5.6	5.6	0.1	0.0
Industrial Machinery & Equipment	5.7	5.8	5.8	0.1	0.0
Electronic & Electric Equipment	3.8	4.1	4.0	0.2	-0.1
All Other Durable Goods	7.6	7.7	7.8	0.2	0.1
Nondurable Goods	33.8	32.5	33.5	-0.3	1.0
Food & Kindred Products	7.1	7.1	7.1	0.0	0.0
Apparel & Other Fabricated Products	1.9	2.0	2.0	0.1	0.0
Paper & Allied Products	8.1	6.9	7.9	-0.2	1.0
Printing & Publishing	6.1	6.1	6.1	0.0	0.0
Chemicals & Allied Products	7.8	7.7	7.7	-0.1	0.0
All Other Nondurable Goods	2.8	2.7	2.7	-0.1	0.0
Mining & Construction	19.2	18.7	18.6	-0.6	-0.1
Service Producing	390.4	390.6	390.9	0.5	0.3
Trans., Communication, & Utilities	47.2	47.2	47.4	0.2	0.2
Trade	123.7	122.6	123.1	-0.6	0.5
Wholesale Trade	38.0	38.2	38.4	0.4	0.2
Wholesale Durable Goods	23.6	23.5	23.6	0.0	0.1
Wholesale Nondurable Goods	14.4	14.7	14.8	0.4	0.1
Retail Trade	85.7	84.4	84.7	-1.0	0.3
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	25.1	25.5	25.5	0.4	0.0
Services	122.8	123.1	123.3	0.5	0.2
Government	71.6	72.2	71.6	0.0	-0.6
Federal	19.9	19.7	19.6	-0.3	-0.1
State & Local	51.7	52.5	52.0	0.3	-0.5
State	12.9	12.4	12.1	-0.8	-0.3
Local	38.8	40.1	39.9	1.1	-0.2

Estimates include all full- and part-time nonagricultural wage and salary employees who worked during, or received pay for, any part of the pay period which includes the 12th of the month. This is a count of jobs by place of work. Agricultural workers, proprietors, self-employed persons, workers in private households, and unpaid family workers are excluded.

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* The Memphis Metropolitan Statistical Area includes Shelby and Tipton counties in Tennessee, Crittendon County in Arkansas, and De Soto County in Mississippi.

HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS — **MEMPHIS MSA**

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992
All Manufacturing	$425.08	$428.98	$434.93	40.6	40.7	40.8	$10.47	$10.54	$10.66
Durable Goods	367.58	382.18	376.94	37.7	38.8	38.9	9.75	9.85	9.69
Lumber and Wood Products	249.99	266.11	263.48	39.0	39.6	39.8	6.41	6.72	6.62
Furniture and Fixtures	311.00	318.40	301.80	40.6	39.9	39.4	7.66	7.98	7.66
Nondurable Goods	474.10	473.45	485.78	43.1	42.5	42.5	11.00	11.14	11.43
Food and Kindred Products	392.37	442.20	466.47	43.5	44.0	43.8	9.02	10.05	10.65
Paper and Allied Products	511.00	565.15	530.08	43.9	46.9	45.5	11.64	12.05	11.65
Chemicals and Allied Prod.	602.00	529.34	553.82	44.2	39.8	39.7	13.62	13.30	13.95

MEMPHIS MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
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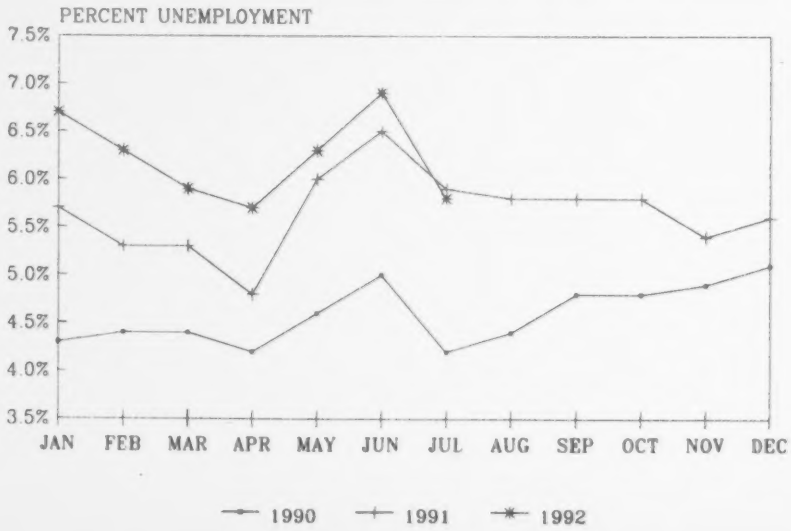

NASHVILLE MSA*

Total nonagricultural employment decreased by 3,200 between June and July but remained unchanged over the year. Retail trade grew by 400 jobs due to the opening of new businesses. State government increased by 400 jobs due to a seasonal increase in education. Construction and mining increased by 200 jobs. Employment increases were offset by a seasonal decline of 2,800 jobs in local government. Machinery and electrical equipment experienced a partial shutdown and seasonal decrease of 700 jobs. A layoff occurred in fabricated metal products (-300).

ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)

Industry	July 1991	Revised June 1992	Preliminary July 1992	Net Change July 1991 to July 1992	Net Change June 1992 to July 1992
TOTAL	490.6	493.8	490.6	0.0	-3.2
Goods Producing	107.3	108.1	107.2	-0.1	-0.9
Manufacturing	86.0	88.6	87.5	1.5	-1.1
Durable Goods	46.9	48.8	47.8	0.9	-1.0
Lumber & Wood Products	2.3	2.4	2.4	0.1	0.0
Furniture & Fixtures	3.2	3.1	3.1	-0.1	0.0
Fabricated Metal Products	8.4	8.3	8.0	-0.4	-0.3
Machinery and Electronic & Electric Equipment	14.5	15.3	14.6	0.1	-0.7
Transportation Equipment	10.8	11.9	11.9	1.1	0.0
All Other Durable Goods	7.7	7.8	7.8	0.1	0.0
Nondurable Goods	39.1	39.8	39.7	0.6	-0.1
Food & Kindred Products	6.6	6.6	6.5	-0.1	-0.1
Textile Mill Products	2.0	2.1	2.1	0.1	0.0
Apparel & Other Fabricated Prod.	2.6	3.1	3.1	0.5	0.0
Printing & Publishing	14.1	14.3	14.4	0.3	0.1
Petroleum, Coal, & Rubber Products	5.8	5.8	5.7	-0.1	-0.1
Leather & Leather Products	1.7	1.7	1.7	0.0	0.0
All Other Nondurable Goods	6.3	6.2	6.2	-0.1	0.0
Mining & Construction	21.3	19.5	19.7	-1.6	0.2
Service Producing	383.3	385.7	383.4	0.1	-2.3
Trans., Communication, & Utilities	28.6	28.6	28.6	0.0	0.0
Trade	121.1	122.6	122.8	1.7	0.2
Wholesale Trade	31.5	31.6	31.4	-0.1	-0.2
Wholesale Durable Goods	18.5	18.4	18.2	-0.3	-0.2
Wholesale Nondurable Goods	13.0	13.2	13.2	0.2	0.0
Retail Trade	89.6	91.0	91.4	1.8	0.4
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	30.9	30.9	30.8	-0.1	-0.1
Services	137.4	139.4	139.4	2.0	0.0
Government	65.3	64.2	61.8	-3.5	-2.4
Federal	10.2	10.1	10.1	-0.1	0.0
State & Local	55.1	54.1	51.7	-3.4	-2.4
State	22.5	21.6	22.0	-0.5	0.4
Local	32.6	32.5	29.7	-2.9	-2.8

Estimates include all full- and part-time nonagricultural wage and salary employees who worked during, or received pay for, any part of the pay period which includes the 12th of the month. This is a count of jobs by place of work. Agricultural workers, proprietors, self-employed persons, workers in private households, and unpaid family workers are excluded.

Numbers may not add due to rounding. Data are based on the 1991 benchmark.

* The Nashville Metropolitan Statistical Area includes Cheatham, Davidson, Dickson, Robertson, Rutherford, Sumner, Williamson, and Wilson counties.

HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS — **NASHVILLE MSA**

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992	July 1991	June 1992	July 1992
All Manufacturing	$460.08	$460.63	$462.44	40.5	40.3	39.9	$11.36	$11.43	$11.59
Durable Goods	485.93	507.88	500.76	39.7	42.5	41.8	12.24	11.95	11.98
Nondurable Goods	422.66	396.01	408.08	41.6	37.3	37.2	10.16	10.59	10.97
Food and Kindred Products	416.77	417.50	448.05	40.9	42.3	43.5	10.19	9.87	10.30
Printing and Publishing	381.15	378.14	402.83	37.7	32.1	33.1	10.11	11.78	12.17

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U.S. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

GROUP	All Urban Consumers			Wage Earners & Clerical Workers			All Urban Consumers			Wage Earners & Clerical Workers		
	U.S. CITY AVERAGE	Percent change July 91 July 92	Percent change June 92 July 92	U.S. CITY AVERAGE	Percent change July 91 July 92	Percent change June 92 July 92	MIAMI-FORT LAUDER-DALE	Percent change July 91 July 92	Percent change May 92 July 92	MIAMI-FORT LAUDER-DALE	Percent change July 91 July 92	Percent change May 92 July 92
All items (1982-84=100)..	140.5	3.2	0.2	138.4	3.1	0.2	133.8	1.4	0.1	132.0	1.4	0.3
All items (1967=100).....	420.8	-	-	412.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All items (Nov. 1977=100)	-	-	-	-	-	-	215.7	-	-	214.5	-	-
Food and beverages.....	138.1	0.7	- 0.1	137.8	0.7	- 0.1	139.9	1.4	0.7	138.7	0.2	0.6
Food.....	137.2	0.5	- 0.1	136.9	0.4	- 0.1	140.6	0.4	0.6	139.2	- 0.1	0.6
Food at home.....	135.7	- 0.2	- 0.3	135.3	- 0.3	- 0.2	131.7	- 2.3	0.3	131.6	- 2.0	0.4
Food away from home..	140.8	1.7	0.1	140.7	1.8	0.1	152.2	2.9	1.0	153.6	2.9	1.0
Alconolic beverages...	147.7	3.0	0.1	147.5	2.9	0.1	132.0	9.5	1.3	130.2	4.9	0
Housing.....	138.3	3.1	0.4	135.7	3.0	0.4	125.7	1.2	- 0.4	125.3	1.2	- 0.2
Shelter.....	151.8	3.4	0.5	147.8	3.4	0.5	130.2	2.4	0.7	130.3	2.6	0.8
Renters' costs 1/ 2/	162.8	3.4	1.1	142.3	3.1	0.9	134.2	2.4	0.5	127.2	2.8	0.6
Rent, residential...	147.0	2.3	0.3	146.6	2.4	0.3	125.5	4.1	1.0	125.5	4.1	1.0
Apparel and upkeep.....	129.2	3.2	- 1.4	128.1	3.2	- 1.3	134.2	- 2.1	- 3.3	132.7	- 3.3	- 3.8
Transportation.....	127.2	3.1	0.2	126.7	3.1	0.2	128.7	3.5	1.6	126.5	4.3	2.2
Medical care.....	190.7	7.4	0.7	190.2	7.5	0.7	171.2	5.0	- 0.3	171.0	5.6	0.1
Entertainment.....	142.4	2.7	0.3	141.0	2.8	0.4	122.4	- 3.6	0.2	123.7	- 3.8	0.7
Other goods & services.	182.3	6.7	0.4	182.7	6.7	0.5	158.0	- 1.6	0	154.6	- 2.7	0
Purchasing power of the dollar: 1982-84=$1.00	$.712	- 3.0	- 0.1	$.723	- 3.0	- 0.1	$.747	- 1.5	- 0.1	$.758	- 1.3	- 0.3

GROUP SIZE	All Urban Consumers				Wage Earners and Clerical Workers			
	All Items	Percent change July 91 - July 92	Percent change June 92 - July 92	Dec. 1977=100	All Items	Percent change July 91 - July 92	Percent change June 92 - July 92	Dec. 1977=100
SOUTH (1982-84=100).....	136.8	2.9	0.1	222.0	135.7	2.8	0.1	219.9
Less than 50,000 pop.....	134.1	1.7	0.1	217.8	134.5	1.7	0.2	217.7
50,000-450,000 pop.....	136.0	3.3	- 0.1	220.2	136.2	3.3	0	220.6
450,000-1,200,000 pop....	138.3	3.1	0.2	225.8	135.2	2.9	0.1	219.1
1,200,000 or more pop....	137.5	2.8	0.2	222.0	136.2	2.9	0.2	220.6

Note: Because they are based on smaller samples, local area indexes are subject to substantially more sampling and other measurement error than national indexes. BLS strongly urges users to consider the use of national indexes in escalator agreements.
1/ United States base year is December 1982 for CPI-U; December 1984 for CPI-W.
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